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RS		6,722,552	4/20/2004	Fenton, Jr.			
		6,698,643	3/2/2004	Whitman			
		6,656,193	12/2/2003	Grant et al.			
		6,602,252	8/5/2003	Mollenauer			
		6,594,552	7/15/2003	Nowlin et al.			
		6,592,597	7/15/2003	Grant et al.			
		6,587,750	7/1/2003	Gerbi et al.			
		6,565,554	5/20/2003	Niemeyer			
		6,554,844	4/29/2003	Lee et al.			
		6,544,274	4/8/2003	Danitz et al.			
		6,505,768	1/14/2003	Whitman			
		6,503,257	1/7/2003	Grant et al.			
		6,488,196	12/3/2002	Fenton, Jr.			
		6,443,973	9/3/2002	Whitman			
		6,439,446	8/27/2002	Perry et al.			
		6,330,965	12/18/2001	Milliman et al.			
		6,325,810	12/4/2001	Hamilton et al.			
		6,315,184	11/13/2001	Whitman			
		6,315,183	11/13/2001	Piraka			
		6,269,977	8/7/2001	Moore			
		6,264,087	7/24/2001	Whitman			
RS		6,264,086	7/24/2001	McGuckin, Jr.			

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		6,202,914	3/20/2001	Geiste et al.			
		6,197,017	3/6/2001	Brock et al.			
		6,010,054	1/4/2000	Johnson et al.			
		6,109,500	8/29/2000	Alli et al.			
		6,079,606	6/27/2000	Milliman et al.			
		6,032,849	3/7/2000	Mastri et al.			
		6,004,335	12/21/1999	Vaitekunas et al.			
		5,954,259	9/21/1999	Viola et al.			
		5,918,791	7/6/1999	Sorrentino et al.			
		5,911,353	6/15/1999	Bolanos et al.			
		5,901,895	5/11/1999	Heaton et al.			
		5,897,562	4/27/1999	Bolanos et al.			
		5,871,135	2/16/1999	Williamson IV et al.			
		5,865,361	2/2/1999	Milliman et al.			
		5,862,972	1/26/1999	Green et al.			
		5,836,147	11/17/1998	Schnipke			
		5,833,695	11/10/1998	Yoon			
		5,829,662	11/3/1998	Allen et al.			
V		5,826,776	10/27/1998	Schulze et al.			
RS		5,823,066	10/20/1998	Huitema et al.			

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		5,817,109	10/6/1998	McGarry et al.			
		5,816,471	10/6/1998	Plyley et al.			
		5,810,855	9/22/1998	Rayburn et al.			
		5,810,811	9/22/1998	Yates et al.			
		5,797,538	8/25/1998	Heaton et al.			
		5,797,537	8/25/1998	Oberlin et al.			
		5,797,536	8/25/1998	Smith et al.			
		5,782,397	7/21/1998	Koukline			
		5,782,396	7/21/1998	Mastri et al.			
		5,779,132	7/14/1998	Knodel et al.			
		5,779,131	7/14/1998	Knodel et al.			
		5,779,130	7/14/1998	Alesi et al.			
		5,769,303	6/23/1998	Knodel et al.			
		5,762,256	6/9/1998	Mastri et al.			
		5,762,255	6/9/1998	Chrisman et al.			
		5,752,644	5/19/1998	Bolanos et al.			
		5,749,893	5/12/1998	Vidal et al.			
		5,743,456	4/28/1998	Jones et al.			
		5,735,848	4/7/1998	Yates et al.			
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		5,713,505	2/3/1998	Huitema			
		5,711,472	1/27/1998	Bryan			
		5,709,334	1/20/1998	Sorrentino et al.			
		5,704,534	1/6/1998	Huitema et al.			
		5,697,542	12/16/1997	Knodel et al.			
		5,692,668	12/2/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,690,269	11/25/1997	Bolanos et al.			
		5,680,982	10/28/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,676,674	10/14/1997	Bolanos et al.			
		5,673,842	10/7/1997	Bittner et al.			
		5,673,841	10/7/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,673,840	10/7/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,669,544	9/23/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,667,517	9/16/1997	Hooven			
		5,662,666	9/2/1997	Onuki et al.			
		5,662,662	9/2/1997	Bishop et al.			
		5,662,260	9/2/1997	Yoon			
		5,662,259	9/2/1997	Yoon			
		5,662,258	9/2/1997	Knodel et al.			
V		5,658,300	8/19/1997	Bitto et al.			
RS		5,657,921	8/19/1997	Young et al.			

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		5,653,721	8/5/1997	Knodel et al.			
		5,653,374	8/5/1997	Young et al.			
		5,647,526	7/15/1997	Green et al.			
		5,645,209	7/8/1997	Green et al.			
		5,636,780	6/10/1997	Green et al.			
		5,634,584	6/3/1997	Okorocho et al.			
		5,632,432	5/27/1997	Schulze et al.			
		5,630,541	5/20/1997	Williamson, IV et al.			
		5,630,540	5/20/1997	Blewett			
		5,630,539	5/20/1997	Plyley et al.			
		5,628,446	5/13/1997	Geiste et al.			
		5,626,587	5/6/1997	Bishop et al.			
		5,624,452	4/29/1997	Yates			
		5,607,095	3/4/1997	Smith et al.			
		5,601,224	2/11/1997	Bishop et al.			
		5,597,107	1/28/1997	Knodel et al.			
		5,588,581	12/31/1996	Conlon et al.			
		5,588,580	12/31/1996	Paul et al.			
		5,586,711	12/24/1996	Plyley et al.			
		5,577,654	11/26/1996	Bishop			
		5,573,543	11/12/1996	Akopov et al.			
		5,564,615	10/15/1996	Bishop et al.			
RS		5,562,682	10/8/1996	Oberlin et al.			

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		5,562,239	10/8/1996	Boiarski et al.			
		5,553,765	9/10/1996	Knodel et al.			
		5,551,622	9/3/1996	Yoon			
		5,535,937	7/16/1996	Boiarski et al.			
		5,535,934	7/16/1996	Boiarski et al.			
		5,531,744	7/2/1996	Nardella et al.			
		5,529,235	6/25/1996	Boiarski et al.			
		5,518,164	5/21/1996	Hooven			
		5,518,163	5/21/1996	Hooven			
		5,489,058	2/6/1996	Plyley et al.			
		5,487,500	1/30/1996	Knodel et al.			
		5,485,947	1/23/1996	Olson et al.			
		5,484,451	1/16/1996	Akopov et al.			
		5,474,566	12/12/1995	Alesi et al.			
		5,470,010	11/28/1995	Rothfuss et al.			
		5,470,007	11/28/1995	Plyley et al.			
		5,467,911	11/21/1995	Tsuruta et al.			
		5,465,895	11/14/1995	Knodel et al.			
		5,464,300	11/7/1995	Crainich			
		5,452,837	9/26/1995	Williamson, IV et al.			
		5,447,265	9/5/1995	Vidal et al.			
V		5,433,721	7/18/1995	Hooven et al.			
RS		5,431,323	7/11/1995	Smith et al.			
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RS		5,417,361	5/23/1995	Williamson, IV			
		5,415,335	5/16/1995	Knodell, Jr.			
		5,415,334	5/16/1995	Williamson, IV: Warren P. et al.			
		5,407,293	4/18/1995	Crainich			
		5,397,324	3/14/1995	Carroll et al.			
		5,397,046	3/14/1995	Savage et al.			
		5,395,034	3/7/1995	Allen et al.			
		5,395,033	3/7/1995	Byrne et al.			
		5,383,880	1/24/1995	Hooven			
		5,381,943	1/17/1995	Allen et al.			
		5,376,095	12/27/1994	Ortiz			
		5,364,003	11/15/1994	Williamson, IV			
		5,332,142	7/26/1994	Robinson et al.			
		5,326,013	7/5/1994	Green et al.			
		5,318,221	6/7/1994	Green et al.			
		5,312,023	5/17/1994	Green et al.			
		5,307,976	5/3/1994	Olson et al.			
		5,170,925	12/15/1992	Madden et al.			
		5,141,144	8/25/1992	Foslien et al.			
		5,129,570	7/14/1992	Schulze et al.			
		5,111,987	5/12/1992	Moeinzadeh et al.			
		5,083,695	1/28/1992	Foslien et al.			
RS		5,074,454	12/24/1991	Peters			

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		5,040,715	8/20/1991	Green et al.			
		4,991,764	2/12/1991	Mericle			
		4,892,244	1/9/1990	Fox et al.			
		4,863,088	9/5/1989	Redmond et al.			
		4,784,137	11/15/1998	Kulik et al.			
		4,728,020	3/1/1988	Green et al.			
		4,703,887	11/3/1987	Clanton et al.			
		4,671,445	6/9/1987	Barker et al.			
		4,633,874	1/6/1987	Chow et al.			
		4,633,861	1/6/1987	Chow et al.			
		4,610,383	9/9/1986	Rothfuss et al.			
		4,608,981	9/2/1986	Rothfuss et al.			
		4,602,634	7/29/1986	Barkley			
		4,589,413	5/20/1986	Malyshev et al.			
		4,505,414	3/19/1995	Filipi			
		4,429,695	2/7/1984	Green			
		3,490,675	1/20/1970	D.T. Green et al.			
V		3,079,606	3/5/1963	B.S. Bobrov et al.			
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		89/10094	11/1989	WO				
		0156774	10/1985	EPO				
		0216532	4/1987	EPO				
		0536903	4/1993	EPO				
		0552050	7/1993	EPO				
		0598579	5/1994	EPO				
		0621006	10/1994	EPO				
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		2003150	7/1980	Germany				
RS		3114135	10/1982	Germany				
RS		4213426	10/1992	Germany				
		659146	4/1979	U.S.S.R.				
RS		9308754	5/1993	WIPO				
RS		9314706	8/1993	WIPO				
RS		0589306	3/1994	EPO				
RS		0591946	4/1994	EPO				
RS		0592243	4/1994	EPO				
RS		0621009	10/1994	EPO				

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		990330	1/1983	Russian Federation				
RS		0136950	4/1985	EPO				
		0220029	4/1987	EPO				
		0213817	11/1987	EPO				
		0273468	7/1988	EPO				
		0324638	7/1989	EPO				
		0373762	6/1990	EPO				
		0380025	8/1990	EPO				
		0449394	10/1991	EPO				
		0484677	5/1992	EPO				
		0489436	6/1992	EPO				
		0503662	9/1992	EPO				
		0514139	11/1992	EPO				
		0537572	4/1993	EPO				
		0539762	5/1993	EPO				
		0545029	6/1993	EPO				
		0579038	1/1994	EPO				
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		WO9210976	7/1992	WIPO				
		WO8302247	7/1993	WIPO				
		0324637	7/1989	EPO				
		0041022	12/1981	EPO				
		0324166	7/1989	EPO				
		0324637	7/1989	EPO				
		0369324	5/1990	EPO				
		0373762	6/1990	EPO				
		0399701	11/1990	EPO				
		0552050	7/1993	EPO				
RS		0552423	7/1993	EPO				
		728848	5/1977	U.S.S.R.				
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